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SUBJECT: LIST OF CONGRESSMEN UNDER INVESTIGATION GIVEN
TO ROK EMBASSY

REF: SEOUL 7091

1. IN MEETING AT THE DEPARTMENT SATURDAY MORNING,
AUGUST 12, HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE CHIEF OF STAFF
JOHN NIELDS PROVIDED INFORMALLY TO ROK EMBASSY COUNSELOR
PARK FOR TRANSMISSION TO ROKG A REVISED LIST OF
CONGRESSMEN UNDER INVESTIGATION BY THE COMMITTEE REGARDING
WHOM RESPONSES WERE EXPECTED FROM FORMER AMBASSADOR
KIM DONG-JO.

2. THIS LIST IS DIFFERENT IN TWO IMPORTANT RESPECTS
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FROM THE EARLIER LIST SUPPLIED TO ROK EMBASSY BY PETER
WHITE. THE NAMES OF FOUR CONGRESSMEN HAVE BEEN DELETED.
THE DELETED NAMES ARE: JOHN L. BURTON, PHILLIP BURTON,
GILLIS W. LONG, AND MORRIS K. UDALL. ALSO DELETED IS
ANY REFERENCE TO KCIA OFFICIALS KIM YOUNG-HWAN AND CHOE
YAE-HYUN. COUNSELOR PARK WAS INFORMED THAT THE
PRINCIPAL REASON FOR THE DELETIONS WAS THE COMMITMENT

THAT THE INVESTIGATION WOULD FOCUS ON INFORMATION WHICH
COULD BE SUPPLIED BY KIM DONG-JO AND NOT BY OTHER KOREANS.

3. TWO NEW NAMES HAVE BEEN ADDED ON THE BASIS OF
INVESTIGATIVE WORK SUBSEQUENT TO THE PROVISION OF THE
EARLIER LIST. THE NEW NAMES ARE: BENJAMIN GILMAN AND
MELVIN PRICE.

4. COMPLETE REVISED LIST AS SUPPLIED TO ROK EMBASSY
AUGUST 12 FOLLOWS:

JOSEPH P. ADDABBO
CARL ALBERT
WILLIAM S. BROOMFIELD
E. DE LA GARZA
EDWARD J. DERWINSKI
BENJAMIN GILMAN
ROBERT L. LEGGETT
THOMAS E. MORGAN
JOHN M. MURPHY
JOHN T. MYERS
OTTO E. PASSMAN
MELVIN PRICE
ROBERT L. F. SIKES
J. WILLIAM STANTON
GUY VANDER JAGT
JEROME WALDIE
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CHARLES E. WIGGINS
CHARLES H. WILSON
LARRY WINN, JR.
LESTER L. WOLFF

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